

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

<p>IN RE CATTLE ANTITRUST LITIGATION</p> <p>This document relates to:</p> <p>ALL CASES</p>	<p>Case No. 19-cv-1222-JRT-HB</p>
<p>KENNETH PETERSON, et al.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Plaintiffs,</p> <p>v.</p> <p>JBS USA FOOD COMPANY HOLDINGS, TYSON FOODS, INC., CARGILL, INC., and NATIONAL BEEF PACKING COMPANY,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Defendants.</p>	<p>Case No. 19-cv-1129-JRT-HB</p>

**DECLARATION OF BENJAMIN L. ELLISON IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS’  
OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFFS’ “MOTION TO NARROWLY LIFT THE  
DISCOVERY STAY TO REQUIRE DEFENDANTS TO PRODUCE  
DOCUMENTS RECENTLY PROVIDED TO THE DOJ”**

1. I am an attorney with the law firm Jones Day, which represents Defendant National Beef Packing Company, LLC in the above captioned cases.

2. Attached as **Exhibit A** is a true and correct copy of Civil Investigative Demand Number 30290 issued by the Department of Justice to National Beef Packing Company, LLC on May 22, 2020.

I declare under penalty of perjury that everything I have stated in this document is true and correct.

EXECUTED this 31<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2020.

*s/ Benjamin L. Ellison*  
Benjamin L. Ellison